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Applicant: Jill McFadden et al.

Serial No.: 09/097,023

Examiner: M. Thompson

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Group Art Unit: 3763

For: CATHETER WITH KNIT SECTION

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Final Office Action of the Examiner mailed February 12, 2003, with setting a three-month shortened statutory period to expire May 12, 2003 and a two-month priority response period to end April 11, 2003. This response is being filed within the two-month priority period. As such, no extension of time is necessary.

Please consider the following remarks: